## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

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For: Antibody Against NOX1 Polypeptide,

Diagnostic Method for Cancer Using NOX1 Gene, and Screening Method

for Cancer Growth Inhibitor

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is hereby requested that the period for responding to the outstanding Notice to File Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the Untied States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) be extended one month from, June 24, 2006, to July 24, 2006, by the filing of this Petition and fee payment.

The petition fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17) is believed to be \$120.00 for a one-month extension for a large entity. However, if extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to prevent abandonment of the present patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0622.

Respectfully submitted,

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